



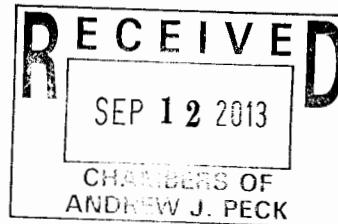
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Re: Torres v. Gristede's Operating Corp., No. 04 Civ. 3316 (PAC) (AJP)

Dear Judge Peck:

We are Class Counsel in the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to the August 22, 2013 Order for Settlement Conference, Dkt. 480, we write to inform the Court that Justin Swartz, lead counsel and a partner at Outten & Golden, LLP, will be attending the conference and has full authority to settle the attorneys' fees and costs.

We request relief from Your Honor's requirement that a client be present at the settlement conference scheduled for September 19, 2013. Order for Settlement Conference, Dkt. 480. Plaintiffs' and the Class Members' claims settled, and they received all settlement payments. This conference will address attorneys' fees and costs only. In order to avoid requiring our clients to miss work to attend this conference, we request permission to attend without them.

We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Molly A. Brooks

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**MEMO ENDORSED**

**APPROVED**

SO ORDERED:

Hon. Andrew Jay Peck  
 United States Magistrate Judge

cc: Kevin J. N **NOTICE:**

Letters and appropriate letter motions now may  
 3 Park (and should) be filed via ECF. See Judge Peck's  
 6 Lauder "Individual Rules and Practices" ¶¶ 1(A), 1(E) &  
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